



# Project Overview

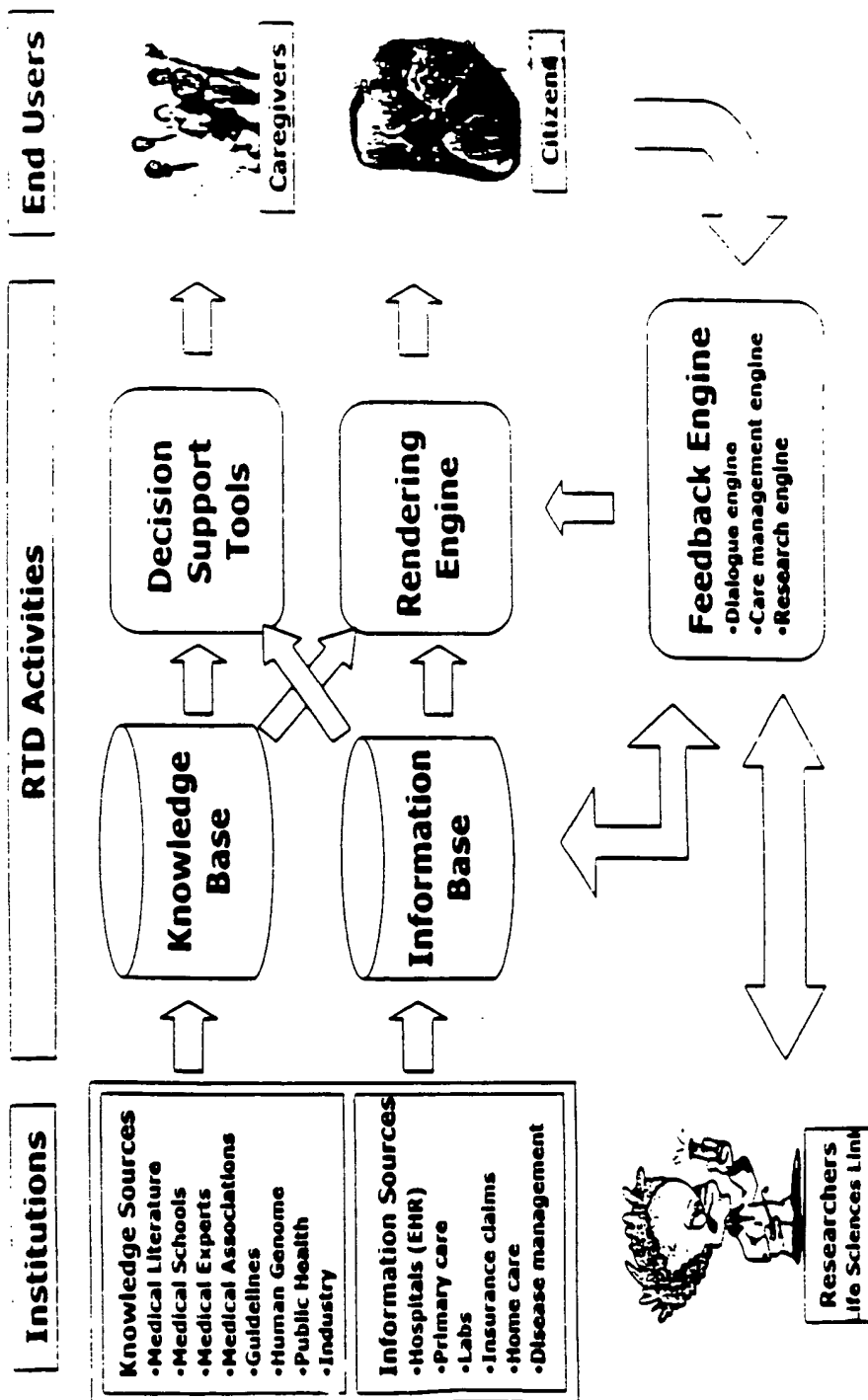
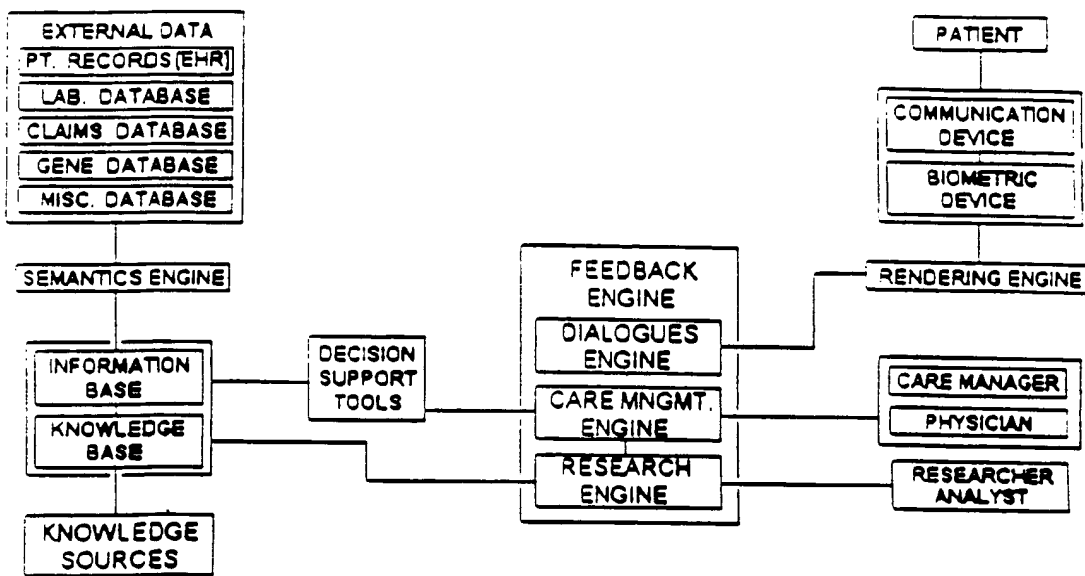


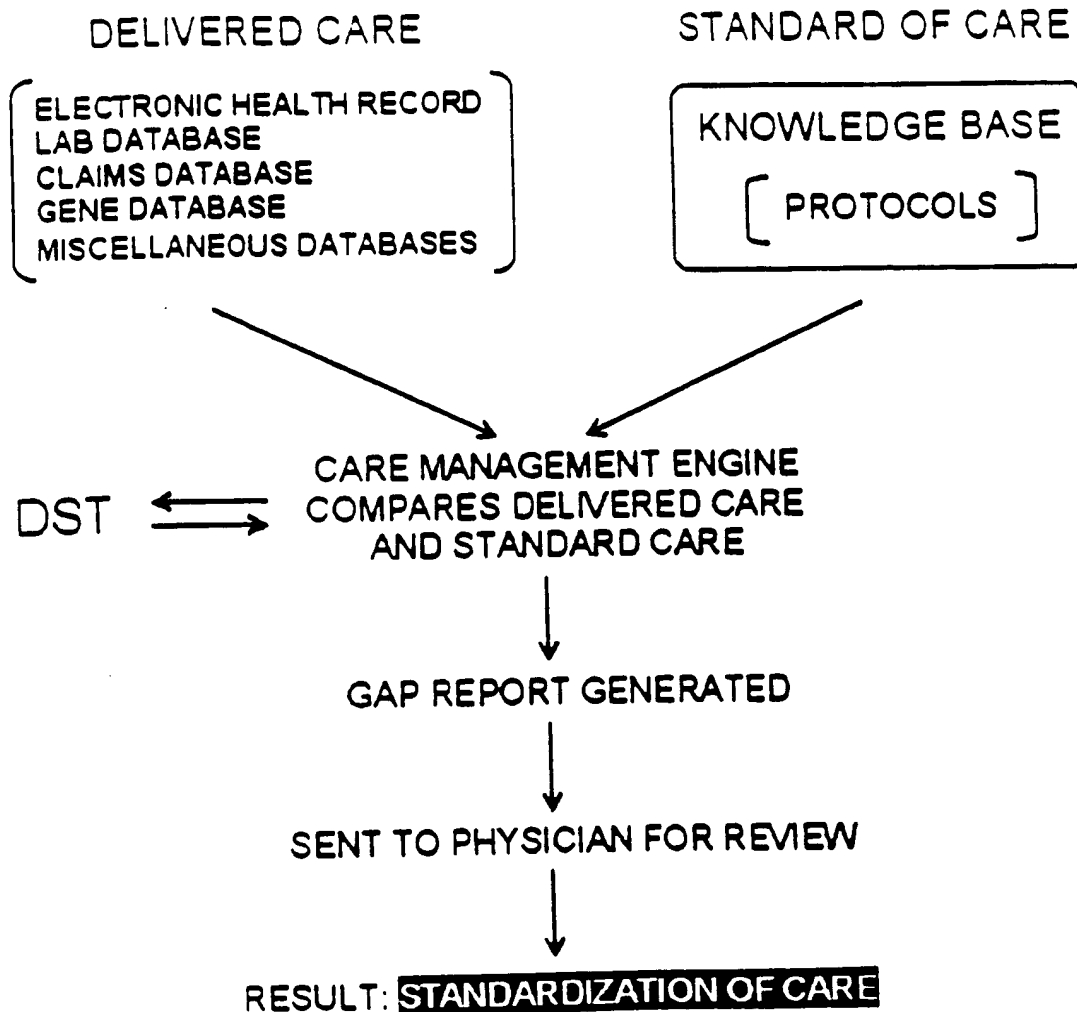
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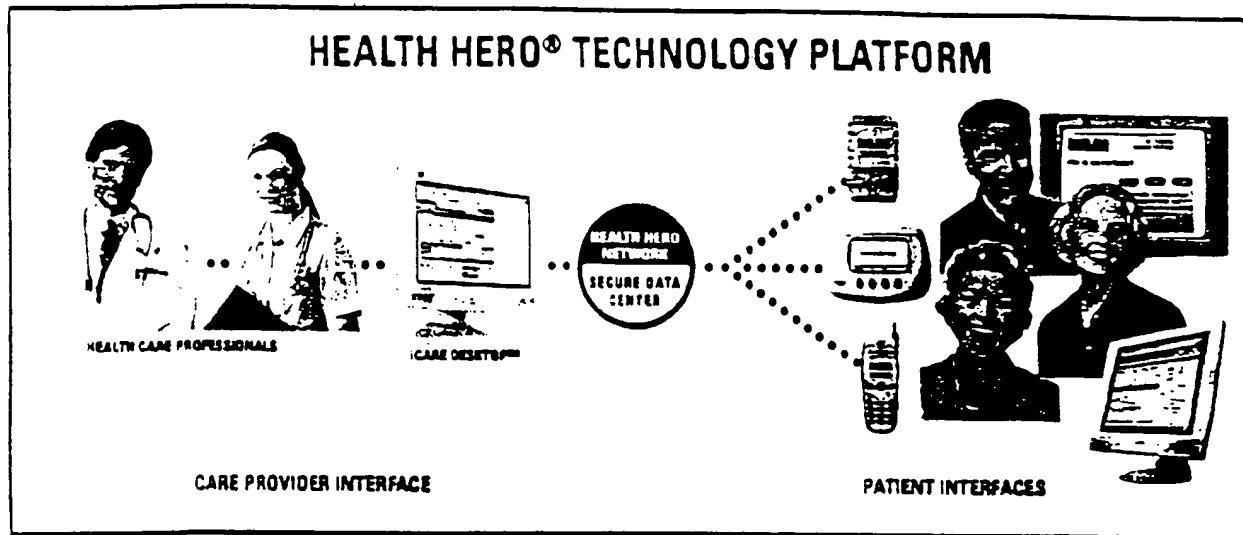
SYSTEM ARCHITECTURE

*System Architecture, from the viewpoint of Feedback Engine*

FIG. 2



**FIG. 3**



**FIG. 4**

Geoffrey Clapp  
Wed, November 26, 2003

Find Patient:

(Link: Home)

**Home** **Patient** **Reports** **Enrollment** **Disenrollment** **Schedule** **Setup**

You have 7 unreviewed in box items: 1 Alert, 6 High Risk Results, and 1 Note overdue.

**Care Inbox**

Date	Category	Subject
<input type="checkbox"/> 07/21/2003	Alert	2 pound weight gain for patient Gill, Hal
<input type="checkbox"/> 07/21/2003	Results	High Risk Symptoms for Patient Luma, Craig
<input type="checkbox"/> 07/21/2003	Results	High Risk Symptoms for Patient Clapp, Geoff
<input type="checkbox"/> 07/20/2003	Results	High Risk Symptoms for Patient Coli, Laurie
<input type="checkbox"/> 07/19/2003	Results	High Risk Symptoms for Patient Cherry, Julie
<input type="checkbox"/> 07/19/2003	Results	High Risk Symptoms for Patient Mann, Marie
<input type="checkbox"/> 07/19/2003	Results	High Risk Symptoms for Patient Wo, Dave

FIG. 5

Luna, Craig  
Fri, April 4, 2003

**Health Hero  
NETWORK**

Find Patient:  
(Last Name)

[Contact Health Hero](#)
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Use these options to change the work list below.

1. Show patients from which program? 2. For which session date? 3. For which care manager?

(mm/dd/yyyy)

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You are viewing sessions for Nov 19, 2003 in the "All Programs" Program Date: ●●

	Symptoms	Behavior	Knowledge	General
	2	2	0	0
Medium Risk	0	1	2	0
Low Risk	6	5	4	2
None	0	0	0	6

Responders	8
Non-Responders	4

Responses on Monday, November 19, 2001

Patient	Response Time	Sympt.	Behav.	Knowldg.	Gen.
● Lang, Nancy	08:38 AM PST				
● Cherry, Julie C.	08:41 AM PST				None
● Beninger, Jennifer	11:15 AM PST			Medium	None
○ Messing, Mel	10:16 PM PST		Medium		None
○ Lang, Mary	09:38 AM PST			Medium	None
○ Coll, Laura	10:09 PM PST				None
○ Hoff, Jane	11:14 AM PST				
○ Man, Mary	09:12 AM PST				None

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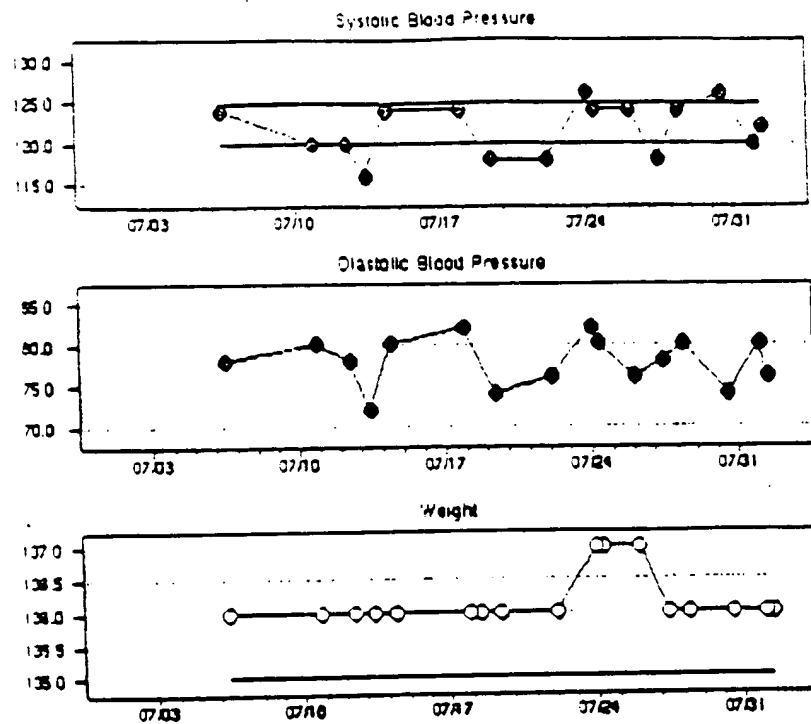
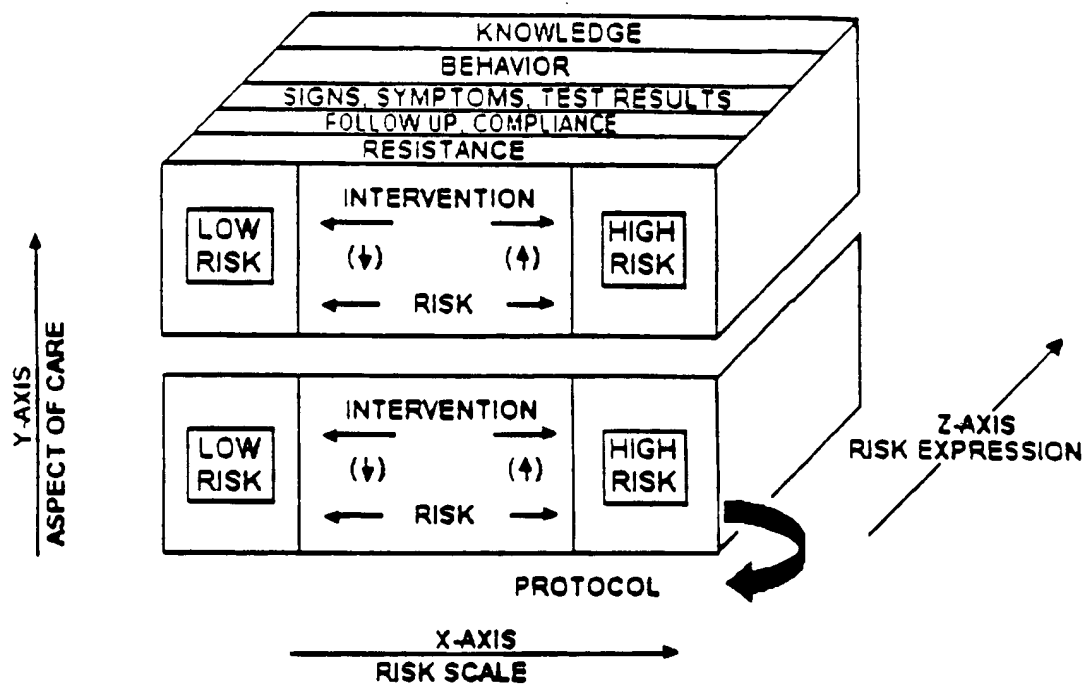


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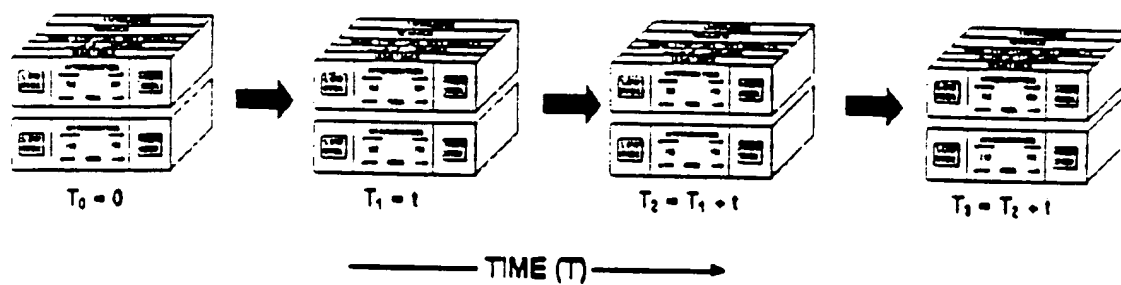
**FIG. 8**





*A 3-dimensional model of disease.*

**FIG. 9**



**FIG. 10**

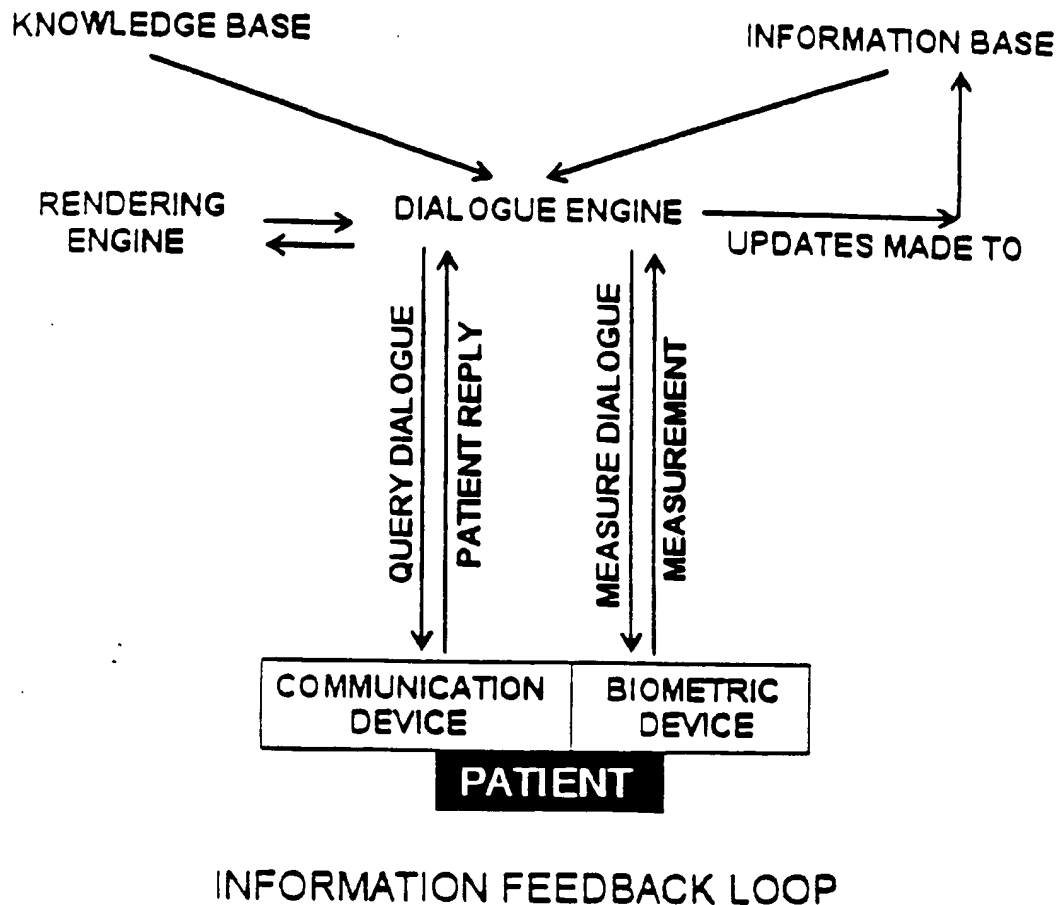


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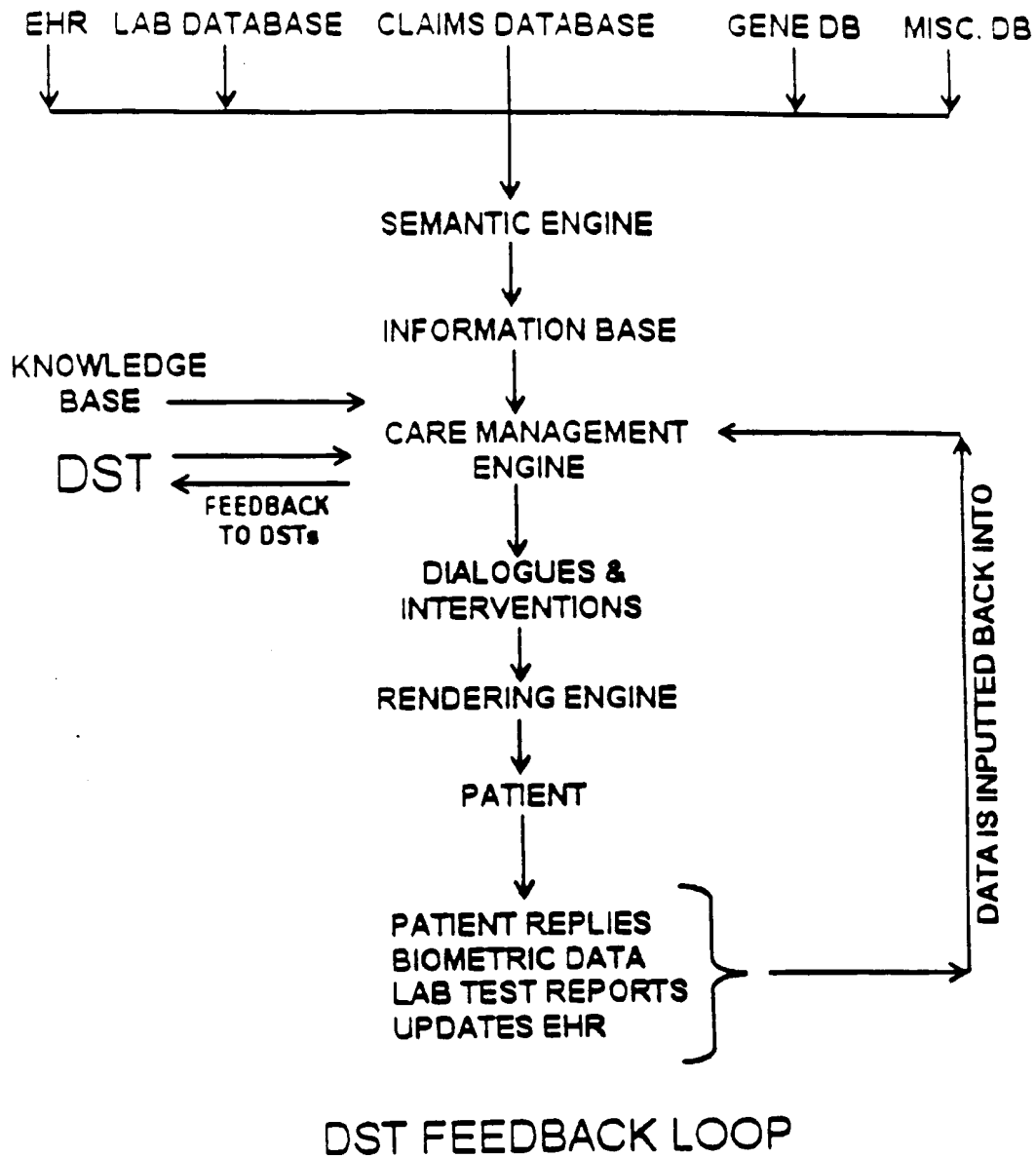
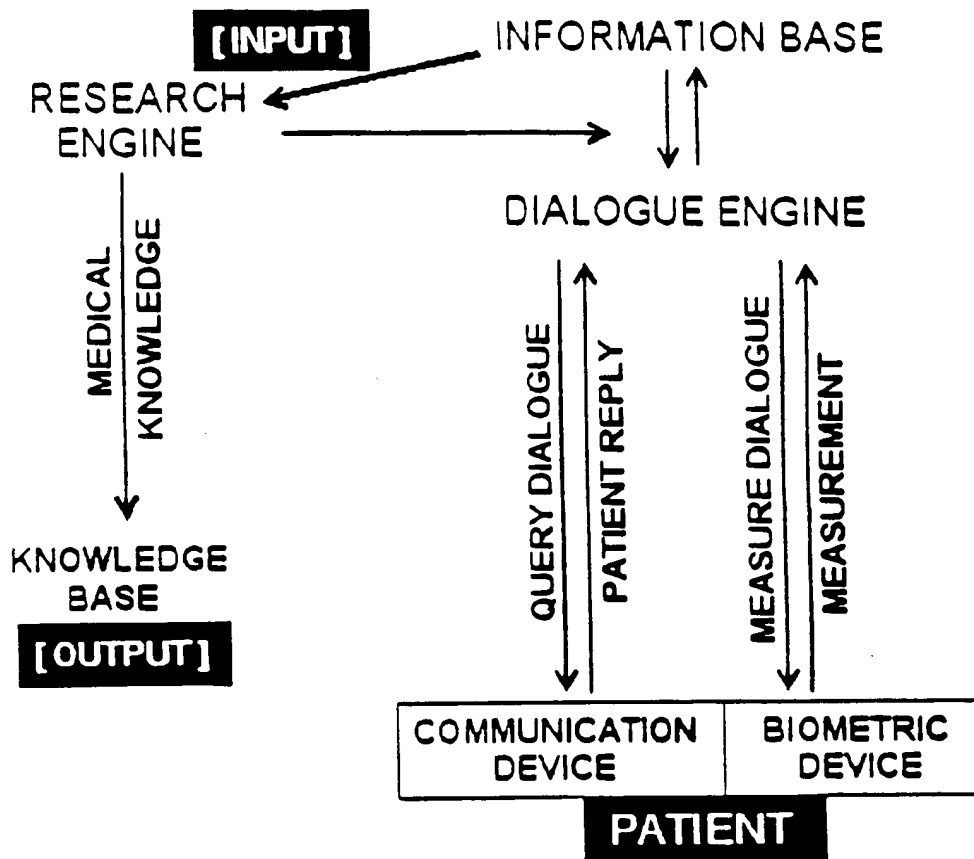


FIG. 12

Research Feedback Loop-



RESEARCH FEEDBACK LOOP

FIG. 13

# Agenda

- Health Hero Network Background
- Current Technology Solutions
- Contribution to MedKnowledgeMent
  - Information and Knowledge Acquisition →  
The Feedback Loops
  - Contribution to Innovations
  - Linkage to Other Parts of Project
  - Patient Trials and Expected Outcomes

**FIG. 14**

# Health Hero Network Vision

- A better model of care is possible
- Crisis care → Coordinated care
- eHealth Networks and Technologies =  
A Powerful Enabler

**FIG. 15**

# Health Hero Network

- Founded 1988 in Mountain View, California. Health Hero Network Ltd established 2003 in Dublin, Ireland.
- 25 employees, \$5 million annual sales, serving 30 provider sites and 2500 patients with daily in-home monitoring.
- Solution Partners signed in Ireland, France, Netherlands. Expecting to add Spain, Belgium, Norway in 2003.
- Licensees include Veterans Health Affairs, Mercy Health System, American Medical Alert, TheraSense, Philips.

**FIG. 16**



# eHealth Demonstration:

## Veterans Health Affairs (US)

- Chronic care program using model of care based on eHealth Networks and Technologies from Health Hero Network
- 791 elderly high-risk patients with hypertension, heart failure, COPD, diabetes, enrolled for 1 year, compared to comparison group data
- Results (Disease Management, Volume 5, Number 2, 2002)
  - 63% reduction in hospital admissions
  - 60% reduction in hospital bed days
  - 40% reduction in emergency room visits
  - 64% reduction in nursing home admissions
  - 88% reduction in nursing home bed days
  - Significant improvement in Quality of Life

**FIG. 17**

# eHealth Demonstration:

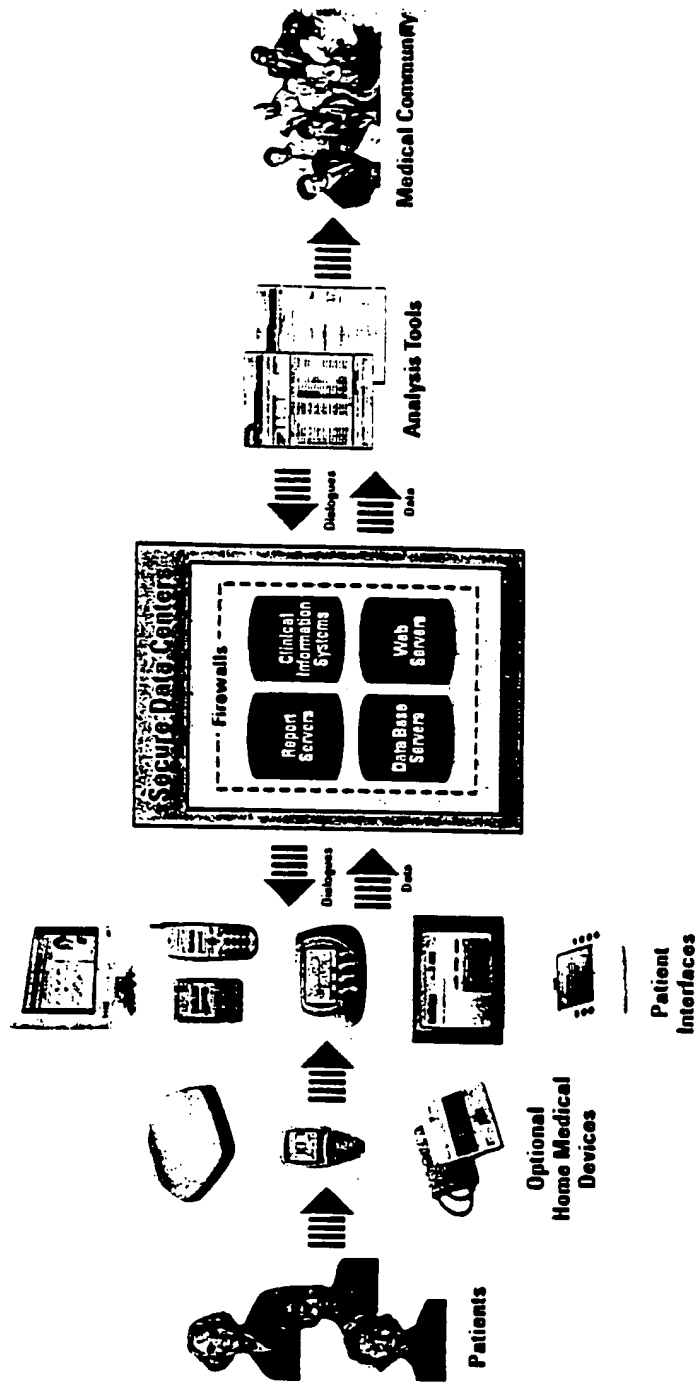
## Mercy Health System (US)

- Diabetes management program using eHealth Networks and Technologies from Health Hero Network
- 169 low income diabetes patients, one year study period using comparative cohort data from previous calendar year
- Results (Diabetes Technology & Therapeutics Journal, Dec 2002)
  - Outpatient visits reduced 49% ( $p < 0.001$ )
  - Inpatient admissions reduced 32% ( $p < 0.07$ )
  - ER encounters reduced 34% ( $p < 0.06$ )
  - Significant increase in quality of life scores
  - Medication compliance increased from 34% to 94%

**FIG. 18**

# Health Hero Network Platform

Vision: Open System for Chronic Care Research and Innovation, Any Device, Any Disease, Many Partners



**FIG. 19**



# Daily Dialogue with the Patient

Vision: Intelligent, Interactive, Personalized, Simple,  
Integrated with Consumer and Medical Devices

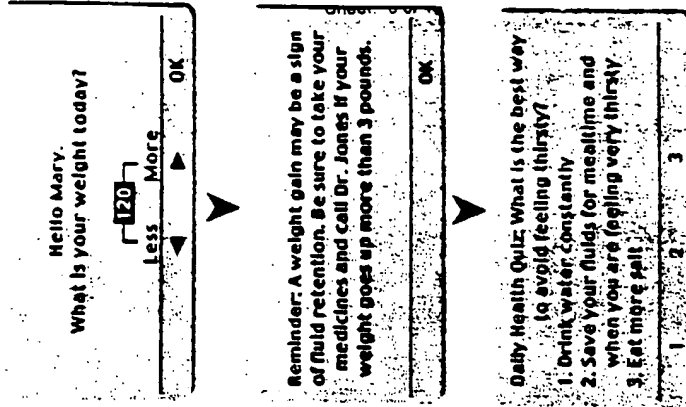


FIG. 21

# Patient Dialogue Content

## Vision: Based on Latest Medical Knowledge, Individualized, Generating Real-time Information

Demo Library / Demonstration day dialogues	Demo Library / Demonstration day dialogues	Demo Library / Demonstration day dialogues	Demo Library / Demonstration day dialogues
<b>CHF Day, 0101</b> <b>Health Hero NETWORK</b> <p>Legend: U = no test, L = Low test, N = Normal test, H = High test</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Welcome back. Did I thank you for using the Health Buddy. Begin whenever you are ready.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Greeting 2: Hello / Greeting</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Did you weigh yourself today? (Did you weigh today? Weight / Behavior)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> What is your weight today? (Use the arrows to indicate your weight) (Weight trend: Weight / Symptoms)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> (Q)Weight trend = (left/right/weight) (+/-)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> This is much higher than your usual weight. Sometimes weight can be affected by heavy clothing or shoes. Please be sure that you are not wearing heavy clothing or shoes. (Slightly higher: Weight / Symptoms)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Remember, if your weight is up 3 or more pounds, call Dr. Wally today at 888-1212.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> (P)Reminder: Weight / Symptoms</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> (Q)Weight trend = (left/right/weight) (+/-)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> This is somewhat higher than your usual weight. Sometimes weight can be affected by heavy clothing and shoes. Please be sure that you are not wearing heavy clothing or shoes. (Somewhat higher: Weight / Symptoms)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> (Q)Weight trend = (left/right/weight) (+/-)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> This is slightly higher than your usual weight. Sometimes weight can be affected by heavy clothing and shoes. Please be sure that you are not wearing heavy clothing or shoes. (Slightly higher: Weight / Symptoms)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> (Q)Weight trend = (left/right/weight) (+/-)</p>	<b>COPO Day</b> <b>Health Hero NETWORK</b> <p>For you! You may start at any COPO, so that you can take the disease process / Knowledge and symptoms. Disease process and symptoms: Disease process</p> <p>3 days? (More 3 &amp; S: None / report this to your doctor today.</p> <p>per doctor's instructions.</p> <p>ing your doctor's instructions.</p> <p>Instructions to keep up your health.</p> <p>When are fever, coughing up</p> <p>with Lung Infection: Pulmonary /</p> <p>more shortness of breath than</p> <p>Knowledge: Pulmonary /</p> <p>or having more shortness of</p> <p>infection. (P)Pulmonary /</p>	<b>Diabetes Day</b> <b>Health Hero NETWORK</b> <p>You may start at any time.</p> <p>Blood sugar trend question</p> <p>When to eat for 8 hours or</p> <p>corns)</p> <p>Blood sugar? (Please use the</p> <p>set). (BS Value trend: Blood sugar</p> <p>od sugar under 70 is considered</p> <p>remember to eat a sugar source</p> <p>is low, take your medicine,</p> <p>side and snacks as</p> <p>by your doctor. (Response: Blood</p> <p>/ 6 symptoms)</p> <p>od sugar between 70-130 is</p> <p>is a healthy level. (Response:</p> <p>acting / 6 symptoms)</p> <p>od sugar between 131-239 is</p> <p>dered to be moderately high.</p> <p>Are your heart or diabetes pills</p> <p>your doctor. (Response: Blood</p> <p>/ Symptoms)</p> <p>er doctor if you continue to have</p> <p>er levels for 3-4 days. (Response:</p> <p>er monitoring / Symptoms)</p> <p>er over 240 is generally</p> <p>is too high. Remember to take</p>	<b>Health Hero NETWORK</b>

FIG. 22

# Health Hero Network Contribution to MedKnowledgeMent

- 1.1 Information and Knowledge Sources and Formats
- 1.2 Information Acquisition → Information Base
- 1.3 Knowledge Acquisition → Knowledge Base
- 1.4 Information and Knowledge Processing → DSTs to  
identify gaps between Information Base and Knowledge  
Base (i.e. gaps between what is and what should be)
- 1.5 Information and Knowledge Rendering → Rendering  
Engine is the interface to end users
- 1.6 Information and Knowledge Acquisition → The  
Feedback Loops

**FIG. 23**

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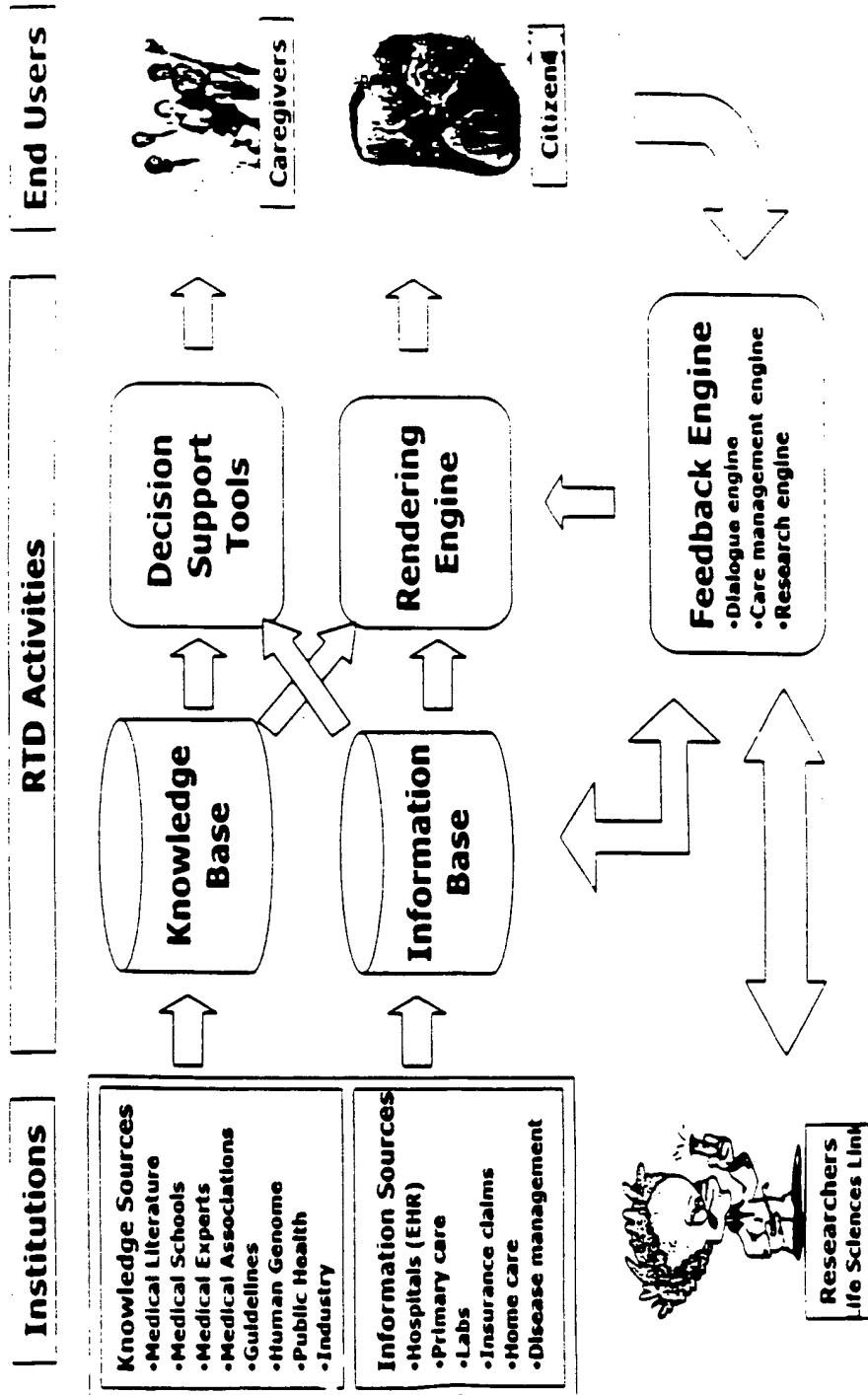


FIG. 24



# Information and Knowledge Acquisition

## → The Feedback Loops

- Patient Dialogue Engine: Individualized Communication
  - Generated using Information and Knowledge Base
  - Interface with Rendering Engine
  - Feedback to Information Base
- Care Management Engine: Just-in-time Care
  - Generated using Information and Knowledge Base
  - Feedback to DSTs
- Research Engine: Real-time Research
  - Interface to Information Base [extract existing data]
  - Interface to Dialogue Engine [when new data is required]
  - Feedback to Knowledge Base [new discoveries]

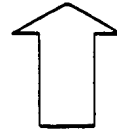
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# Health Hero Network Contribution to Innovations

## Current Status

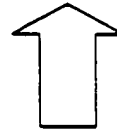
### Patient Dialogue Engine

- Pre-packaged, mass customized programs
- Content libraries
- Health Buddy



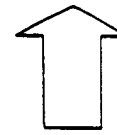
### Care Management Engine

- Risk stratification
- Organizational workflow and efficiency tools
- Manual feedback process



### Research Engine

- Data Export to SAS



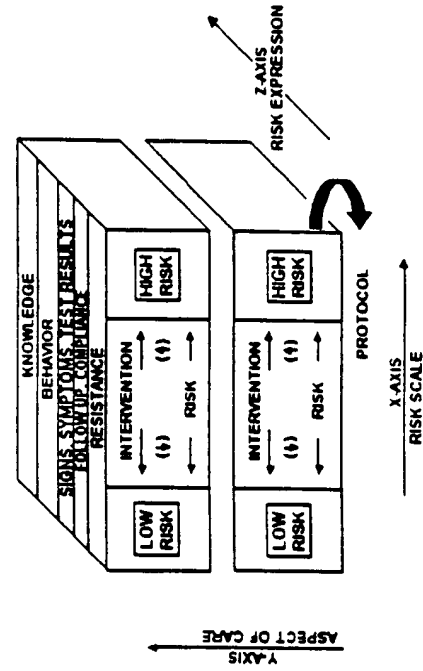
## New Innovations

- Automated individualization
- Content generated by knowledge base rules applied to information base
- Interface to Rendering Engine for any device
- Intelligent risk tuning and link to DSTs
- Organizational optimization
- Automated feedback loop
- Identify subgroups and correlations
- Test hypotheses on living database

**FIG. 26**

# Integrating Feedback Loops Within MedKnowledgeMent

- Application Program Interfaces
- Standards for Data Classification
- Ontology for Information and Knowledge Used in Feedback Process



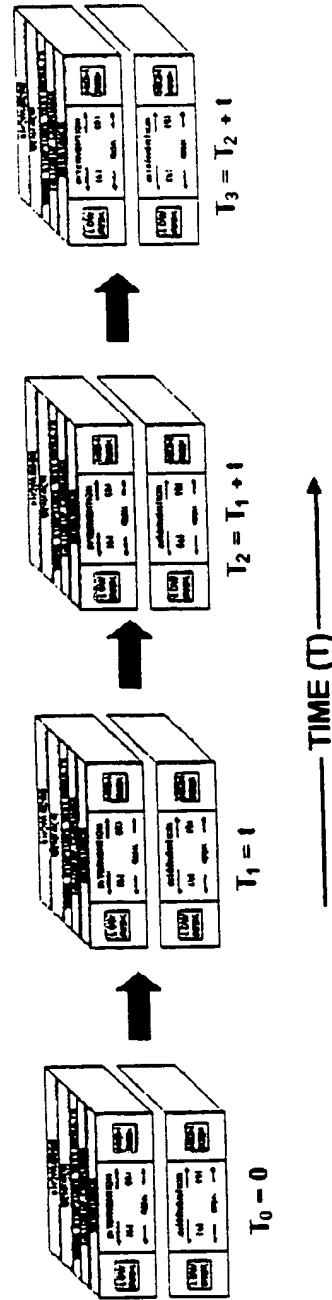
A 3-DIMENSIONAL MODEL OF DISEASE

FIG. 27

# Feedback Process

Overall goal is apply and generate medical knowledge in a continuous process that leads to lowest achievable risk resulting in:

- Higher quality of life
- Improved clinical outcomes
- Lower cost of care



**FIG. 28**

# Patient Trials

- Application to Major Diseases with Great Cost to Society
- Multi-center Demonstration Project
  - Health care and research centers in Europe
  - Large enough for meaningful result
  - Small enough to fit budget
- Standardized Protocol for Data Collection
- Outcomes Analysis
  - Aggregate data analysis for global impact
  - Site specific data analysis by country, disease, and care model
  - Key measures include: acceptability, satisfaction, utilization, clinical impact, medication compliance, quality of life, cost of care
- Medical Review Board
  - Review and approve all site specific study designs

**FIG. 29**

# Expected Results

- Reduced emergency department encounters and hospitalizations by detecting patient problems before they become a crisis.
- Improved patient compliance by educating, motivating and monitoring health status and by providing personalized and relevant information.
- Improved safety and quality of care by providing timely and actionable information to healthcare professionals through quality assured processes that can be continuously improved.
- Continuity of care, particularly for the elderly, through integrated, interconnected monitoring and information systems, rather than fragmented, episodic, and crisis driven care.

**FIG. 30**

# Expected benefit to the EU

Health is a key IST application for all citizens

- Stimulation of investment in information society technologies to modernize healthcare and enable sustained quality and access.
- Creation of an open platform for the application and generation of Medical Knowledge is an opportunity for European leadership at the convergence of information technologies, medical and consumer devices, and networks.
- Clinical applications that can be deployed as new service offerings over existing and new network infrastructures including broadband and wireless networks will stimulate the growth and success of those networks.
- The emerging eHealth sector will become vital to every region in the world that will experience the demands of an aging population and the resulting need for advanced and sustainable models of care.

**FIG. 31**